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### PITHY PARAGRAPHS.

Most of the coal recently sent out from Pittsburgh went to points below Louisville.

An order has been entered directing the sale of the Avon-Beattyville Coal Co.'s property in Kentucky.

Carroll D. Wright, in a speech at Buffalo, N.Y., says that the coal resources of the South are forty times greater than the deposits of Great Britain.

The long continued cold weather is going to change the figures of the coal market considerably, unless there should be a protracted cold spell during February.

Here is chance for the man who likes cheap things.—It is stated that coal is only 14 cents per ton at the pit's mouth in China. Everything else is doublets on the same basis.

At Albany, New York, the Assembly adopted a vote of 90 to 47, a resolution instructing the Attorney General to investigate the agreement of the coal companies. The Senate laid it on the table. It also took the same action on a resolution for the appointment of a committee to investigate the agreement.

A paper in the Cincinnati, Pa., region says—There is very little change to note from last week. The output continues meager, side-tracks filled with empty and loaded cars in many parts of the region."

Skip "Partis" on a voyage from Australia to San Francisco, was burned 200 miles southwest of Juan Fernandez Island. The "Partis" was loaded with coal and caught fire from spontaneous combustion. The captain's wife often used to read to her son, Ferdinand, tales of sailors and from the accounts were taken to Valparaiso by a Chilean man-of-war. The second mate's boat had a severe trip, and was 14 days reaching Valparaiso. Four days later the vessel was found or washed ashore. David Jones, the American actor, became insane and died. He was buried at sea. The other occupants were all but dead when they reached port.

HAWAII, "THE PEARL OF THE PACIFIC"

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Author of the Columbian Historical  
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A Midnight Journey to Haleakala, the House of the Sun . . .

From Honolulu to Maui in but a short voyage. The little inter-island steamship, Claudio, belonging to the Hawaiian Steamship Company, left Honolulu on Tuesday, December 3, 1895, carrying (ourself) among other passengers, and, at six o'clock the next day dropped anchor off the coast of Maui.

The first glance of Maui is by no means inspiring. A collection of low houses along a beach washed by the surf, a railway train, consisting of one passenger and one flat car, was the only evidence of life to be seen. There were all that was visible. There was not a sign of a hotel or place where the weary traveler might rest.

French Polynesia, Mr. Wadlow, who lived in Fais, his husband, a Swede, being a merchant there, went ashore in the same boat with myself.

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I thanked her very kindly, and he accepted her very welcome invitation. Our boat load consisted of the lady herself, one native woman and two white men from Honolulu, and a dog or more Kanakas.

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Nut	99,307.72
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Mixed Lump, Nut and Pea	15,869.92
Mixed "Lump, Nut, and Run or Run-Mines"	16,410.20
Run or Run-Mines	14,910.88
Mixed "	13,882.16
Nut and Slack	93,643.84
Nut and Pea	245.00
Pea and Slack	13,654.32
Pea and Run	105,664.68
Slack	23,678.00
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We are glad to be able to give to the public a statement of the tonnage of coal produced by Hopkins county mines during the year 1895. By courtesy of Chief Inspector of Mines, Mr. C. J. Norwood, we publish the statistics in anticipation of the publication of his annual report.

Last week THE BEE stated the approximate output of the State as 18,100 tons for 1895.

Now give the exact output of Hopkins County as 18,100 tons.

The total output of the State is a gain over 1893 of 27,561 tons and a loss, as compared, with 1894 of 31,233 tons.

It will be remembered, however, that Hopkins County's output for 1894 was 50,684 tons,

greater than that of the previous year, as a result of the "sympathetic strike" in May and June '94, during which time Hopkins County's miners worked daily while the rest of the State was idle.

It will be noticed also that Earlington still holds the distinction of being the almost exclusive coke producer. This coke is made by the St. Bernard Coal Co. at this place and is widely shipped for many uses.

Two extensive and quite

successful mines have been opened with coke in the immediate future.

We reproduce herewith Mr. Norwood's communication giving the statistics in detail.

FRAKNTOK, Ky., Feb. 14, 1896.

Euroe BEE:—To you, request of the roth, I have the pleasure of sending a statement of the tonnage of commercial coal produced by the Hopkins county mines for the calendar year 1895. All the tonnage of coke for all the mines (burning Kentucky coal) in operation in 1895.

Yours truly,  
C. J. NORWOOD,  
Chief Inspector of Mines,  
PRODUCTION OF HOPKINS COUNTY MINES.

This was an increase in consumption of 17,000 tons over 1894.

Pittsburgh coal consumed in that city during 1895 was probably 480,000 tons. Anthracite coal in Louisville in 1895 about 12,000 tons.

BLACKBURN is impossible and Hunter almost so. Yesterday's ballot showed no hope of an election.

The Legislature has been in session 39 days. Just 21 days more are left in which to ballot for United States Senator.

BROTHERLY love is a little off in Henderson press circles.

The Journal speaks of the Gleaser's editor as "the pale grey ass,"

and the Gleaser retorts upon "the diminutive nondescript of the Journal."

The Texas Rangers and the Mexican soldiers, both ready to shoot, have made prize fighting arrangements rather uncertain for the Fitzsimmons-Maher contest.

Pugilists in this country is dead.

A bill is well on its way toward

passage by the House, abolishing the graded school district in Madisonville created by act of Legislature in 1888.

A bill has passed the House prohibiting the killing of quail for a period of two years. The man

who would have a hunting license if his pleasure prompted it no longer

is terribly pleased, but what a save from sorrow for these fine birds and how they would multiply.

THE BEE is for the preservation and fostering of what is left of

splendid game and magnificent

forest in these United States. Let the slaughter of both be stopped. We trust the bill before the Kentucky Legislature may become a law.

H. R. R. GRAHAM, Representative from this county, has introduced a bill to change name of Dawson City in this county to Dawson Springs. This change will be eminently proper since the little "city" of Dawson is there principally as a result of the "springs," which



